

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67065

Nator IWAKIRI

Appln. No.: 09/986,411

Group Art Unit: 2878

Confirmation No.: 5218

Examiner: Albert J. Gagliard

Filed: November 08, 2001

For: STIMULABLE PHOSPHOR SHEET STORING CASSETTE, RADIATION IMAGE

PHOTOGRAPHING APPARATUS, PHOTOGRAPHING INFORMATION REGISTRATION APPARATUS, AND RADIATION IMAGE INFORMATION

READING APPARATUS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 22, 2003 to November 24, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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